

Greetings,

I am the Training and Safety Officer for Madison Township Fire Department. ***We wish to notify you that we will be conducting a live fire training exercise on 14 June, 2010, weather permitting.*** The address of this exercise is 155 Franklin Street, Canal Winchester OH. This is the white, two and a half story house at the edge of the school property behind 100 Washington Street.

The structure was slated to be razed. The Canal Winchester Board of Education graciously donated this structure to the fire department for training purposes. We have several new members who will gain invaluable experience from this training. These structures are a great opportunity to exercise the skills, knowledge and abilities we need to help protect you and your families in the case of a fire in your home or business.

You may notice an increase in activity around the house as we train on non-fire related skills i.e. search and rescue as well as laddering and entering a structure from the second floor. We will be preparing the structure for the burn day approximately a week ahead of time. Any debris generated will be cleaned up as we go along.

The goal is to complete the training in the morning and early afternoon on the date listed above. We feel these hours will minimize disruptions to the community. We plan to maintain limited access to the neighborhood; watch for signs to direct you to the designated detour route.

If you should have any questions regarding this training, please do not hesitate to contact me Monday through Friday between 7a.m. and 5p.m., at 837-7883. I will do my best to answer your questions and relieve any uneasiness you may have regarding this training exercise.

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